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Competitive Examination for entry to the Indian Military Academy, Dehra Dun, and the Royal Indian Navy.

The following notice dated the 19th November 1938, issued by the Government of India, Defence Department, calling for applications for admission to the Examination mentioned above, is published for general information.

Candidates from the Mysore State who desire to appear at the Examination are required to submit their applications with necessary documents to the Secretary to Government, General Department, on or before the 26th December 1938.

Each candidate for the Examination for entry to the Indian Military Academy, Dehra Dun, who is eligible for and desires a King Emperor's Cadetship, should fill in and submit a copy of the form of particulars relating thereto with his application.

A declaration by the parent or guardian of the applicant in the form prescribed should be submitted if he is a candidate for the Royal Indian Navy Examination.

Copies of the rules, syllabus, application forms, etc., can be had in the General and Miscellaneous Branch of the General and Revenue Secretariat, Bangalore.

By Order,
M. VENKATESA IYENGAR,
Secretary to Government,
General Department.

DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.

New Delhi, the 19*th November* 1938.

NOTICE.

No. 1341.—A competitive examination for entry to (1) the Indian Military Academy, Dehra Dun, in the term beginning on or about 20th August, 1939, and (2) the Royal Indian Navy will be held in Delhi on Monday the 27th March, 1939, and subsequent days. The examination will be conducted by the Federal Public Service Commission.

2. The examination will be a combined one for the purpose of filling vacancies in the Indian Military Academy and the Royal Indian Navy. A candidate may apply to be admitted to the examination for all or any of the above. If he wishes to be admitted as a candidate for more than one, he should state this on his application form. Separate applications are not required. He will be required to pay the application and examination fees once only. If he proves successful as a candidate for more than one he will ordinarily be assigned to the one for which he expressed a preference in his application; but the Government of India reserve power to assign him to any one.

3. At this examination 15 vacancies will be offered for entry to the Indian Military Academy. The Governor-General-in-Council, however, reserves to himself the right to fill the last three vacancies by nomination from among those who have qualified but failed to obtain sufficient marks to secure one of the first twelve vacancies. Two vacancies will be offered for admission to the Executive Branch and one to the Engineer Branch of the Royal Indian Navy.

4. The examination will be the same for all arms of the Indian Army, *i.e.*, Cavalry, Artillery, Signals, Engineers and Infantry. All candidates on joining the Indian Military Academy may volunteer to be considered for the technical arms, and will be given a test examination in Mathematics. Those who show a satisfactory standard of knowledge will be formed into a Preparatory Woolwich Wing during the 1st and 2nd terms.

At the end of the 2nd term the Commandant will select the cadets to form a Woolwich Wing.

5. Candidates for admission to the Indian Military Academy must have been born not earlier than 2nd May, 1919 and not later than the 1st May 1921. Candidates for the Royal Indian Navy Examination must have been born not earlier than 2nd October 1919, and not later than the 1st October 1921. *These age limits can in no case be relaxed.*

6. A candidate who desires to appear at the examination is required to submit to the Federal Public Service Commission his application in the prescribed form with the necessary documents in accordance with the instructions given on that form. Applications must reach the Collector or Deputy Commissioner, or the Political Officer or Agent or the Principal, Prince of Wales' Royal Indian Military College, Dehra Dun, on or before the 24th December 1938. Copies of the Rules and the Application Form, etc., may be obtained from the Provincial Government, Administration or Durbar concerned.